

MEMBERS' COMMENTS ON PREVIOUS ARTICLES

SLOPERS - "TOWER ROYAL WORKS" Bulletin 276 Page 16.

BILL COKAYNE (Sloper ex-director) supplies the information:-

"To quote the late technical director of Slopers (Mr Alfred Slater) there was originally a tower at the Western end of the building in Blackburn Road, the base structure of which was still in place when the company closed at August '91. The 'Royal' part of the title was assumed from the Royal Letters Patent and Warrant from Queen Victoria. These documents were seen by various visiting members of the Perfin Society just prior to the closure of the works."

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